

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: EINV, ECOSOC, UN, GR  
SUBJECT: ECOSOC WORKING GROUP ON ILLICIT PAYMENTS

REF: A) ATHENS 2558; B) STATE 77170

AFTER STUDYING DRAFT ARTICLES I AND IV (REF B), COORDINATION  
MINISTRY OFFICIAL RESPONSIBLE FOR ECOSOC WORKING GROUP ON  
ILLICIT PAYMENTS GAVE US HIS COMMENTS. WHILE THE GOG CONCURS  
WITH THE SPIRIT OF THE WORKING GROUP, IT FINDS THE DRAFT  
ARTICLES HYL AFS. QWMWIN #

PARTICULAR, IF THE LANGUAGE IN  
ARTICLE I "EACH CONTRACTING STATE UNDERSTAKES TO MAKE THE  
FOLLOWING ACTS PUNISHABLE UNDER ITS NATIONAL LAW" IS ADOPTED,  
LEGISLATIVE PROBLEMS ARE ANTICIPATED. AN IMPLEMENTING LAW  
WOULD HAVE TO BE INTRODUCED TO PARLIAMENT WHICH WOULD OPEN THE  
ENTIRE ISSUE TO OPPOSITION RHETORIC. HOWEVER, THE OFFICIAL  
SAID HE WOULD DISCUSS THE MATTER WITH GREECE'S UN DELEGATION.  
THE VIEWS OF EC COUNTRIES IN PARTICULAR WILL BE SIGNIFICANT  
IN DETERMINING THE GOG POSITION.

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## Message Attributes

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